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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: SCREEN

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the application, please amend the application as follows:

In the specification:

Page 1, before line 1, please delete "Title: Flange-shaped fitting frame" and substitute  
therefore the following: --FLANGE-SHAPED FITTING FRAME--.

Page 1, before line 1, please insert CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED  
APPLICATION.

This application is based on provisional application entitled SCREEN filed  
December 27, 2000, Serial No. 60/258,573.

STATEMENT REGARDING FEDERALLY SPONSORED RESEARCH OR  
DEVELOPMENT. Not applicable.

REFERENCE TO A MICROFISHE APPENDIX. Not applicable.

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION.

Field of the Invention.

Page 1, after line 24, please insert SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION: